



Atty. Docket No.: AVAN/000256 (formerly 10138-0002-2)

AF/2874 *mw*

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

*AK 5-18-05*  
In re Application of:  
Mauro Bettati

Serial No.: 09/550,596

Confirmation No.: 1077

Filed: April 17, 2000

For: Laser with Wide Operating  
Temperature Range

§  
§  
§  
§  
§  
§  
§  
§  
§  
§

Group Art Unit: 2874

Examiner: Armando Rodriquez

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING	
37 CFR 1.8	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on April 25, 2005, with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
4/25/2005	<i>[Signature]</i>
Date	Signature

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON JANUARY 26, 2005**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on January 26, 2005, please enter this response and consider the claims in the application for reasons discussed below. Although Applicants believe that no additional fee is due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/AVAN/000256 for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.